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U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, July 28.—Last 24 Hours' Rainfall, trace. Temperature, Max. 79; Min. 71. Weather, variable; strong trades.

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HONOLULU, HAWAII TERRITORY, THURSDAY, JULY 29, 1909.

PRICE FIVE CENTS.

JAPAN IS NOT FAVORING STRIKE

Tokio Government Said to be Anxious for Settlement.

From a statement made on the witness stand yesterday morning in the conspiracy case by Prof. Denning, the expert on the Japanese language, the inference may be clearly drawn that, although the Tokio government is taking no official cognizance of the strike of the plantation laborers in Hawaii, the Foreign Office is nevertheless quietly and unofficially taking a hand in the game and is working for the suppression of the strike.

The statement by Prof. Denning was made just as Attorney Lightfoot was concluding his cross examination of the expert.

"Did you," asked Mr. Lightfoot, "after your arrival here, make a speech to the Japanese strikers at Waipahu?"

"Yes, I did."

"And did you tell the Japanese that the Foreign Office wished them to go back to work?"

"I told them," replied the witness, "that the Japanese public and, I thought, the Japanese Foreign Office, were of the opinion that the strike was doing incalculable harm."

"And did you advise them to go back to work?"

"I did."

Attorney Kinney, evidently fearing that the answers of the witness might be taken as implying that he spoke to the Japanese at the instance of the prosecuting attorneys, asked, "Were Mr. Ballou or myself informed of that?"

"No," was the answer.

"Did you speak truly," continued Kinney, "when you told the strikers that the people in Japan thought the strike was doing harm and that they ought to go back to work?"

"Yes, I got my ideas from the Japanese newspapers in Japan."

"Did you get authority from the Japanese Foreign Office to come to Hawaii?"

"Yes."

It is clear from the above evidence

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MRS. WALLACE SAILS FOR THE MAINLAND

Her dream of happiness shattered, Mrs. Ida Baker, or Wallace as her legal name must be written, sailed for the mainland yesterday on the Alameda. Almost the last bit of Honolulu on which her eyes rested, ere the ship was headed for the open sea, was the somber stone building wherein is confined the man whom Mrs. Wallace supposed to be her husband.

Baker, the debonair, is confined in Oahu prison, under sentence of three years at hard labor of bigamy. Mrs. Wallace, who discarded the man to whom she was engaged that she might marry Baker, was helped out of town by charitable friends. Soon Baker will be doing honest work, albeit in prison stripes, in expiation of his crime. His dupe will be trying to forget her predicament thousands of miles away.

SINKING FUND MONEY DEPOSITED IN BANKS

Twenty thousand dollars were deposited by Treasurer Conkling yesterday afternoon, in amounts of \$5000 each, with the four banks of the city to the credit of the sinking fund. This action was taken in accordance with the provision in Act 123 of the Session Laws of 1909, commonly known as the Depository law, which permits the Treasurer to deposit a sum not to exceed \$5000 from any special fund in the Treasury in any good savings bank or savings bank department of any bank, without security.

MCLELLAN MISSES THE ADVERTISER ON HIS JOURNEY

Mayor Fern yesterday morning received a letter from Supervisor McClellan, who is now on the mainland. McClellan wrote from San Francisco, but said that he expected to start soon for Seattle. He is having a pleasant vacation on the Coast, but misses the Advertiser, and asks Mayor Fern to see that it is sent to him that he may keep in touch with affairs here.

SECOND JUDGE HAS ARRIVED

George W. Woodruff will Meet the Bench and Bar Today.

Judge George W. Woodruff, recently appointed second judge of the United States District Court for the District of Hawaii, arrived on the Mongolia yesterday morning, accompanied by Mrs. Woodruff, and is already at home in the city. He went almost immediately to the Judiciary building to meet and get acquainted with those who are to work with him. He held a sort of informal reception in the court room, at which all the members of the Federal judiciary department were present.

A more formal reception will take place at 9 o'clock this morning, at which hour all the members of the bench and bar have been invited to be present in the Federal court room and make the acquaintance of Judge Woodruff. Court will be formally opened and Judge Woodruff will take the oath of office. No other business is in sight, and court will probably adjourn after Judge Woodruff has officially been made a member of the bench. He will then have an opportunity to meet in an informal way the judges and attorneys with whom he will have to do business hereafter.

Judge Woodruff is a good-looking man of athletic build and appears as if he might be able to cope with a good deal of hard work. He will have a good deal to cope with, too, for the calendar for the new term, which opens Monday, is a long one and contains a number of important cases which are to be tried. Judge Woodruff will undoubtedly find his work here much different from what he has been accustomed to, but he looks as if he would be able to handle it satisfactorily.

The arrival of the new judge will greatly lessen the burden which for so long has rested upon the shoulders of Judge Dole. The latter has for the past three months been resting up, handling no large cases, and leaving a good deal of work for his new associate to start in on. Judge Woodruff expresses himself as eager to get to work. Yesterday afternoon he occupied the bench with Judge Dole in the habeas corpus case of the three Chinese boys and apparently took a good deal of interest in the matter.

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A MISSING NOBLEMAN WANTED IN HONOLULU

SAN FRANCISCO, July 29.—The whereabouts of Lord Basil Brooke, a young Irish nobleman, is exciting the anxiety of friends in three different parts of the globe. Communications received by the St. Francis hotel indicate that his relatives are very much alarmed about the sudden disappearance of the lord. Every effort to find him yesterday in this city, where he stopped for four days, was without result.

Under the name of Harold Morgan, which he assumed to avoid the notoriety which sometimes waits on men with a title, Lord Brooke registered at the St. Francis May 12. He brought only hand baggage with him, which, on his leaving the hotel on May 15, he carried personally, so there is no record of his destination. He did not even leave a forwarding mail address.

The St. Francis hotel management were advised of the young lord's disappearance yesterday, when a letter was received from Hobart Seymour, a connection of the family, who has been awaiting Brooke in Honolulu. The letter reads:

Honolulu, July 9.
Dear Sir: Can you advise me as to the whereabouts of Lord Basil Brooke, who registered at your hotel on May 12? The last letter to his family in Ireland was under the date of May 14, from your hotel, in which he mentioned the fact that he might sail for Honolulu the next day. Was there such a steamer leaving? His lordship sometimes went under the name of Harold Morgan and under such name he may have registered. The reason therefore was that he hated notoriety and that he disliked giving his title in a foreign country. He is a young man of about 24½ years old, six feet tall and light. I, myself, arrived here the other day and received word from his family with whom I have connections, to look for his lordship, as he is badly needed at home. Yours very truly,
HOBART SEYMOUR,
Young hotel, Honolulu.

Sir Basil Stanlake Brooke owns about 28,000 acres. His home is in Colebrook, Wiltshire, Ireland. He is the fifth baronet of the name.

BOARD WILL BEAR ALL EXPENSE

Terms for Bringing First Party of Russians Are Settled.

Fifty families, not to exceed 250 persons in all, will comprise the first party of Russian immigrants to be brought here by the Board of Immigration. At Tuesday afternoon's meeting of the board, this was decided upon, and a special committee of two was appointed to draft an agreement with A. W. Perelstrous who will undertake to secure the immigrants.

A. L. C. Atkinson and E. H. Wodehouse, the members of the special committee, yesterday morning sent cablegrams to the headquarters offices of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company and the Toyo Kisen Kaisha, asking what rates would be made on a party of 250 persons. Answers to the cables are expected today. On their receipt, a special meeting of the Board of Immigration will be called and the form of agreement will be submitted for approval.

Should the agreement prove satisfactory to the board, and also to Perelstrous, it will be duly signed and the way will be clear for the departure of Perelstrous by the next steamer for the Orient.

The board has changed its mind regarding the arrangement to be made with Perelstrous, and will take up the first offer made by the contractor. Under this arrangement the board will pay the fares of the immigrants, and will pay Perelstrous a lump sum large enough to cover his expenses, per diem charges and commission. A careful tab will be kept on all expenses, that the board may know just what it costs per capita to land the Russians here. It is expected that the cost per capita for the initial experiment will be considerably heavier than will be the case later on, should the Russians be brought here in larger numbers.

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MONTREAL WOULD LIKE THE MAYOR'S COMPANY

"His Worship" Joseph J. Fern has been invited to attend the thirteenth annual convention of the League of American Municipalities at Montreal. The invitation, which arrived yesterday morning by the Mongolia, was addressed to His Worship, Joseph J. Fern, Mayor of Honolulu, and reads as follows:

"The City of Montreal, pursuant to a resolution passed by its City Council, most cordially and earnestly invites you to be present at the thirteenth annual convention of the League of American municipalities to be held at The Windsor, Montreal, August 25, 26, and 27, 1909."

"Very respectfully yours,
"LOUIS FAYETTE, Mayor.
"L. O. David, City Clerk."

BAIL MONEY SEEMS TO BE RUNNING LOW

It is evident that bail money for arrested strikers is running low. It took several days and a lot of running around before the \$200 bond for Fushino, one of the Waipahu false imprisonment men, could be fixed up. Finally, yesterday afternoon, two Japanese second-hand dealers and one bicycle man appeared before Judge De Bolt and satisfied him that among them they had wordly goods enough to satisfy the bond should Fushino skip out. So Fushino is once more out of jail.

ALOHA WILL COME HERE.

The schooner Aloha, which arrived on the Sound Sunday from San Francisco, will come to Tacoma shortly to load a cargo of lumber for Honolulu. She is expected to begin loading July 20 at the Tacoma mill—Tacoma Ledger, July 20.

CAPTAIN JOHNSON'S VACATION.

According to the Coast papers Captain Peter Johnson of the steamship Hilohian will lay off for two voyages, the Hilohian being under the command of Captain Frederickson meanwhile.

ORDINANCES ON THIRD READING

Supervisors Clear Up Mass of Routine Business at Meeting.

Five of the new ordinances necessitated by reason of the Legislature having turned over increased responsibilities to the City and County of Honolulu, were passed on third reading by the Board of Supervisors last night. The ordinances are: Ordinance No. 7, regulating the sale of vegetables, meat, fowl and fish; Ordinance No. 9, regulating the care of the indigent sick and providing for the appointment of a county physician; Ordinance No. 10, providing for certificates as to cause of death from the county physician, and Ordinance No. 14, regulating the erection and maintenance of tenement houses.

Ordinance No. 13, regulating the delivery of milk, was referred back to the committee on health and sanitation, it being considered wise to make some minor changes before the final reading.

A letter from Captain A. T. Marix, U. S. M. C., quartermaster at Camp Verry, asking that two electric lights be placed on Ala Moana road for the convenience of marines going to and from camp after nightfall, brought up some little discussion. The request was referred to the committee on electric lights, and Supervisor Quinn took occasion to call attention to the request of S. M. Damon that four lights be placed near the entrance to his Moanalu estate.

Quinn expressed the belief that the request should be granted, as Mr. Damon had already done a great many things for the city, and he thought it only right that when he saw fit to ask for something he should get it. Quinn also thought that the request of Captain Marix should be granted, in that the marines are a distinct asset to the community.

Should Wait Turn.

Aylett, as a member of the committee on electric lights, objected to granting the requests off-hand. He thought that the applications should be acted on in the order in which they are received, and that both Damon and the marine people should be required to wait their turn.

Quinn demurred at this reasoning, insisting that lights should be placed where they are most needed, without regard to the order in which the applications are received.

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DIPLOMAT ROASTS THE PACIFIC MAIL LINE

SAN FRANCISCO, July 19.—W. W. Rockhill, for a long time United States minister to China and recently appointed ambassador to the court of the Czar at St. Petersburg, arrived here yesterday from the Orient on his way to his new post. He and Mrs. Rockhill were passengers on the Japanese liner Tenyo Maru, and the treatment they received on board the ship of the alien flag formed the text of Ambassador Rockhill's observations to the press. For a diplomat he spoke with exceeding plainness.

"If the Pacific Mail Company loses its trans-Pacific passenger trade," he said, "it will have only itself to blame. On this ship we have experienced nothing but the greatest freedom and the most courteous hospitality. If the Japanese put on a third ship like this I do not see how they can fail to get the bulk of the passenger traffic. The discourtesy of Pacific Mail officials is a byword in the Orient, and I know from personal experience how uncomfortable the innumerable and unreasonable restrictions imposed upon passengers make a voyage on a Pacific Mail liner. Complaints of the company's discourtesy are on the lips of all travelers. I am not referring, understand, to the officers of the ships. They, I believe, are ashamed of the orders they are compelled to carry out. The blame lies, I am told, with a man at this end of the line. I forgot his initials, but his name is Schwerin."

Here are some of the regulations imposed by Schwerin upon his passengers:

Passengers may not take their own steamer chairs, but if they don't care to cross the Pacific leaning against a stanchion, must rent one from the company. The chairs are all the same shape. The passengers are not. No exception is made in favor of cripples, invalids or old folks.

Passengers will not be served with meals in their rooms except upon a certificate signed by the ship's surgeon and O. K'd by the chief steward, who is too busy around meal time to do any clerical work.

Passengers wanting wine or beer with their meals must submit a statement to the chief steward at least an hour before mealtime.

Drinks will not be served to passengers in their rooms or on deck.

Lights go out at 11 o'clock sharp. Passengers may not take fruit to their staterooms.

BLOODY HAND OF RED REVOLT HOLDS SPAIN IN REIGN OF TERROR

President Pulliam of National League Attempts Suicide---Jeffries Posts Forfeit---Thaw Makes Good Showing---Flight Delayed.

(Associated Press Cablegrams.)

MADRID, July 29.—Spain is seething with revolt. The government has ordered the governors of provinces to crush the insurrection at any cost and without pity. Artillery will be used to demolish barricades.

WOMEN AND CHILDREN KILLED.

BARCELONA, July 29.—Many women and children have been killed in the rioting. Warships have been ordered here. Many reservists have crossed the frontier to avoid service in Africa.

TRIBESMEN DRIVEN BACK.

MELILLA, July 29.—After hard fighting the tribesmen have been driven back.

JEFFRIES POSTS FORFEIT WHICH JOHNSON WILL COVER

NEW YORK, July 28.—Jim Jeffries has posted \$5000 forfeit to fight Jack Johnson.

CHICAGO, July 29.—Johnson will cover Jeffries' forfeit.

CHICAGO, July 19.—Jack Johnson, heavyweight champion of the world, after acting as umpire at a ball game here yesterday, sparred three brief rounds on the ball field with his sparring partner.

That Johnson was not in condition to meet anybody outside of a lightweight for some time to come was apparent, and that he will never clash with Jeffries was volunteered by himself.

"The \$1000 I offered to bet some time ago that Jeffries never would post a forfeit to meet me or anybody else in the ring goes," said the champion between puffs after the diamond battle around the home plate, where the "fight" was staged. "Jeffries never had the slightest intention of covering my \$10,000 and he never will. He is through."

"The fact that I was to meet Jeffries yesterday was simply a press agent yarn. I never promised anybody I would be there. Neither was I hurt in an automobile accident at Cedar Lake, but I am through with that burg."

Johnson said he would start for Detroit today in his automobile and try to make the trip in fifteen hours. He claimed there was \$1000 up on the result.

It was also made known yesterday that Jack had not had a glove on since he was in New York and that his training at Cedar Lake consisted in steering his automobile around the Cobe Cup course.

LEAGUE PRESIDENT PUTS OUT BOTH HIS EYES

NEW YORK, July 29.—Harry Pulliam, president of the National Baseball League, attempted to commit suicide by shooting yesterday. He destroyed the sight of both eyes and will probably die.

THAW ON THE STAND

WHITE PLAINS, New York, July 28.—Harry K. Thaw today took the witness stand to testify in his own behalf in the hearing as to his sanity, and the showing he made was such as to please his friends.

WIND BAD FOR AEROPLANE

WASHINGTON, July 28.—Orville Wright will undertake a speed test this evening with his aeroplane for the government.

WASHINGTON, July 29.—Wind prevented Orville Wright from taking his final cross-country flight.

AFTERNOON CABLE REPORT

MADRID, July 28.—The King has proclaimed martial law and the suspension of constitutional guarantees throughout Spain.

BARCELONA, July 28.—Outbreaks here are regarded as revolutionary and are spreading. Anarchists are engaged in the leadership of the riots. Several churches, schools and railroad bridges have been burned by the revolutionists.

MELILLA, July 28.—The Spanish General Pinto and a number of his officers have been killed.